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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Yong Y. Hwang

For (title): Oil Treatment System

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**1. Type of Application**

This transmittal is for a continuation-in-part application.

**2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application (35 U.S.C. Sections 119(e), 120, or 121)**

The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application. Enclosed are  
ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S.  
APPLICATION CLAIMED.

**3. Papers Enclosed**

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design)  
Application

17 Page(s) of Specification

5 Page(s) of Claims

8 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s) Formal/Informal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

1 Page(s) of abstract

**4. Declaration or Oath**

Not Enclosed.

Application is made by a person authorized under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.41(c) on  
behalf of the above-named inventor.

**5. Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

**6. Language**

English

**7. Assignment**

An assignment of the invention to Stein.DSI will follow.

**8. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)**

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$710.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	28	- 20 =	8 x	\$18.00	<del>\$18.00</del>
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	- 3 =	0 x	\$80.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	\$0.00
Filing Fee Calculation					<del>\$728.00</del>

**9. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

Not Enclosed

No filing fee is to be paid at this time.

**10. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 15-0450.

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)

**11. Instructions as to Overpayment**

Refund.

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**12. Relate Back**

Amend the specification by inserting, before the first line, the following sentence:

**A. 35 U.S.C. Sections 120, 121 and 365(c)**

"This application is a continuation-in-part of copending application:

Application number 09/233,241 filed on January 19, 1999.

**13. Maintenance of Copendency of Prior Application**

**A. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time in Prior Application**

A conditional petition for extension of time is being filed in the pending **prior** application.

A **copy** of the conditional petition filed in the prior application is attached.

**14. Further Inventorship Statement Where Benefit of Prior Application(s) Claimed**

- a. This application discloses and claims only subject matter disclosed in the prior application whose particulars are set out above and the inventor in this application is the same.

**15. Abandonment of Prior Application**

Please abandon the prior application at a time while the prior application is pending, or when the petition for extension of time or to revive in that application is granted, and when this application is granted a filing date, so as to make this application copending with said prior application.

**16. NOTIFICATION IN PARENT APPLICATION OF THIS FILING**

A notification of the filing of this continuation-in-part is being filed in the parent application, from which this application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. Section 120.

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Signature of Practitioner

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hwang, Yong Y.

Application No.: 09/233,241      Group No.: 1723  
 Filed: January 19, 1999      Examiner: Savage, M.  
 For: Oil Treatment System

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NOTIFICATION OF FILING OF CONTINUING, DIVISIONAL  
OR CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION

Notification is hereby being made of the filing of a continuation-in-part application for this case concurrently herewith.

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